SNAG FOR SHARKEY IN WASHINGTON

Roosevelt Opposed to Brooklyn Man Because of Civil Service Charge.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 .- Ex-Lieut .ork, and Republican leader of Brookin, had a conference with President Roosevelt to-day regarding four Brookin appointments, which are pending. hey are these of George Roberts, ey, Naval Officer of the Port; Edward . Jordan, Collector of Internal Rev-nue, and Charles H. Haubert, United tates Marshall for the Brooklyn dis-lot. The Republican organization in

The Republican organization in Brooklyn has recommended the appointment of all four of the officials. Roberts and Jordan have served one form each, while the other two have been in office for eight years. Mr. Woodruff urged the reappointment of the four men and was supported in this request by Representatives Beneet and Calder.

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It appears probable that Roberts. Jordan and Haubert will be reappointed but as to Sharkey there is a hitch. The Civil Service Commission is in receipt of communications alleging that he has been munications alleging that he has been permiciously active in politics and that he has violated the civil-service regulations in the promotion of employees in his office. The President indicated to Mr. Woodruff that he did not desire, therefore, to reappoint Mr. Sharkey.

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Mr. Woodruff that he did not desire, the charges against Sharkey were not tweel founded and that he knew of his own knowledge that they were not true. Ommissioner Cooley to the White House and the subject was discussed informally.

Hits Woman.

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was arranged that Mr. Woodruff Commissioner Cooley should meet and consider the matter fully, in ignt of all the facts, and that the lof their conference should be poported to the President.

Mr. Woodruff took luncheon with the President, that opportunity being embraced to discuss not only the Brooklyn appointments, but the whole New York political situation.

MUSIC TEACHER IS ACCUSED BY PUPILS MOTHER AND CHILD

Bellassano Arrested After Little Girls Had Confessed to

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LITTLETON DENIES

Not Hitting at McCarren in Franchise Bureau

Change. hises from the Comptholler's office to the Department of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has caused much talk. Wiseacres say that it is the first move of the anti-McCarren forces to get as much of the patronage uway from the newly elected Comptroller as possible. "The shearing process has begun," they said, "and Metz will get his good and pienty."

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"Not at all," said Mr. Littleton to-day. "I have been trying to get that bureau where it belongs for a good while. Positics has nothing whatever to do with the case."

"It is not a question of patronage at all," said Comptroller Grout. "There is not a single position in that bureau exempt from divil service and patroninge has nothing to do with it." The motion to shift the bureau will come up at Friday's meeting of the Board.

THREE HURT BY FIRE

keeper, of No. 143 East Twenty-fourth street, had his left arm broken and Mc-Guire has a possible fracture of his right leg. Their vehicle was wrecked. They were taken to St. Vincent's Hos-pital.

The Battalion Chief's wagen was driven by Firema William Cozine, and the woman ran down was Sebastione Denino, eighty years old, of No. 4 Horatic street. Mr. Denino suffered painful bruises and was taken to St. Vincent's.

RUN DOWN BY WAGON.

Mrs. Wulmer and Her Son Albert, of Brooklyn, Severely Injured.

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HE'S PLAYING POLITICS PANIC ON TRAIN AS ENGINE ROD BREAKS Chief's Wagon Knocks Woman

The suggestion of Borough President Mile-a-Minute Express on Jersey Central Narrowly Escapes Wreck.

> PLAINFIELD, N. J., Dec. 6.—While speeding through this city at the rate speeding through this city at the rate of seventy miles an hour at \$45 A. M. Mo-day one of the fast Hoyal Blue hourly expresses on the New Jersey Central was all but wrocked by a peculiar accident.
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> The driving rod on the firemen's side of the engine broke in half and the ends, whirling about, smashed the cab. At the same time one of the flying ends perked a driving wheel out of place and the locomotive travelled for fully a thousand feet careening over toward the next track.

next track.

The engineer, almost blinded by rush of steam, applied the emergency brakes and brought the train to state barely in time to save the engine from going over.

APPARATUS CRASHES

Tender Smashes Runabout With
Two Men and Chief's Wagon
Hits Woman.

Two men were hurt in a collision between their runabout and the tender of Engine No. 72 and an aged woman was knocked down by a battalion chief's wagon going to a small fire at No. 4

Bank street to-day.

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STEVENSON ON METZ.

Plan to Retain Deputy Comptroller by Having Him Appointed Deputy Corporation Counsel.

The only positive development in nouncement that Comptroller elect Metz will make few, if any, changes in the personnel of that office. He has so motified Comptroller Grout, who gave out the news to-day. About the only

Luigi Bellassano, teacher of piano and violin, at No. 28 West Fourteenth Etreet, was held in \$3,000 bail to-day for a hearing on Priday before Magistrough and the peaks are evaluated by two young girl pupils. The complainants are Eva Bird, aged fourteen, of No. 50 Sornella street. Agents Pissaro and Pogarty, of the Children's Society, obtained from the girls a confession, and arrested Belassano. The prisoner is less than forty years of age, dresses in good taste, and agend the charges against him.

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THREE IN HOSPITAL HURT BY FIRE HORSES

Down-Engine Tender Injures Two Men.

Three persons were sent to St. Vincent's Hospital to-day, one of them a woman eighty years old, and so seriously injured she may die through accidents which occurred while fire engines and trucks were answering an alarm for a small blaze at No. 41 Bank street. The first person injured was Mrs. Sebastine Vanedino, eighty years old, of No. 4 Horatle street, who was knocked down by the battallon chief's wagon, driven by William Cozine, as she was crossing the street in front of her home. The others injured are James McGuire, No. 143 East Twenty-fourth street, and Henry Cherry, No. 345 East Twenty-third street.

McGuire and Cherry were in a runabout on Fifth avenue, near Tweifth street, when their vehicle was knocked over by the tender of Engine 72, driven by John Tiernan. Cherry's left arm was fractured and McGuire was badly cut and bruised. They were taken to St. Vincent's, where Mrs. Vanetino, in a serious condition from shock and contusions, had just arrived. and trucks were answering an alarm

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